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HIGHLIGHTS

House passed agriculture reconciliation, budget reconciliation, and Radio Marti bills.

House Committee ordered reported 14 sundry measures.

Senate

Chamber Action

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Bills Introduced: Two bills and one resolution ere introduced, as follows: S. 2822–2823, and S.J. Res. 228.

Bills Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. 2172, creating a jurisdictional framework to approxion the authority regulating cable systems between the Federal and State governments, and proding for a competitive marketplace for cable systems in the telecommunications industry, with an intendment in the nature of a substitute (with additional views). (S. Rept. No. 97-518)

S. 2450, revising certain programs of the Magnuon Fishery Conservation and Management Act, to approve the conservation and management of U.S. theries, with an amendment in the nature of a subtitute. (S. Rept. No. 97-519).

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Measures Passed:

Education Consolidation and Improvement Act egulations: Senate agreed to H. Con. Res. 388, disproving certain regulations submitted to the Contess on July 29, 1982, with respect to the Education onsolidation and Improvement Act of 1981.

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State Justice Institute: Senate passed S. 537, establishing the State Justice Institute to strengthen and approve the judicial administration in U.S. State purts, after agreeing to committee amendments and the following amendment proposed thereto:

Tower (for Grassley) unprinted amendment No. amending the provisions relating to the au-

norization of funds.

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upplemental Appropriations, 1982: Senate conqued consideration of H.R. 6863, appropriating upplemental funds for fiscal year ending September 30, 1982, for the Federal Government, with certain modified excepted committee amendments thereto, taking action on additional amendments proposed thereto, as follows:

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Adopted:

(1) Danforth-Kassebaum unprinted amendment No. 1193, dealing with appropriations for various railroad activities.

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- (2) Stevens unprinted amendment No. 1194, providing \$160,000 for necessary expenses of the Commission on Executive, Legislative, and Judicial Salaries, as authorized by section 225 of the Postal Revenue and Federal Salary Act of 1967 (81 Stat. 642-645), to remain available until expended; that the Commission shall be convened, conduct appropriate reviews as prescribed by section 225(f) of the Act, and submit to the President on or before November 15, 1982, a report as described in section 225(g) of the Act, and the President shall submit to the Congress, as soon as practicable after receipt of such report, recommendations with respect to the rates of pay which he deems advisable for the offices and positions covered by such report, which recommendations become effective for pay periods which begin 30 calendar days after submission to the Congress, unless Congress disapproves such recommendations by concurrent resolution.
- (3) Danforth unprinted amendment No. 1195, prohibiting the use of appropriations for judicial review under the National Traffic and Motor Vehicle Safety Act of 1966 or any other provision of law with respect to Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standard No. 208 (49 CFR 571.208).

(4) Dodd unprinted amendment No. 1196, increasing by \$48,000,000 the funding for Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grants.

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(5) By 93 yeas to 4 nays, Weicker unprinted amendment No. 1198, providing that it is the sense of the Congress that the proposed regulations implementing part B of the Education of the Handicapped Act should not become effective until after the 97th Congress reconvenes for a special session or the 98th Congress has convened, whichever occurs first.

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(6) Percy unprinted amendment No. 1199, providing that none of the funds appropriated for the purposes of the Caribbean Basin Initiative may be obligated until September 15, 1982, or until the enactment of authorizing legislation, whichever occurs first. (By 53 yeas to 46 nays, Senate earlier deemed the amendment to be germane.)

(7) Kasten unprinted amendment No. 1202, providing that of the commitments provided to guarantee loans (Foreign Military Credit Sales), \$26,000,000 shall be provided only for Korea, \$25,000,000 shall be provided only for Thailand, \$20,000,000 shall be provided only for Morocco, \$10,000,000 shall be provided only for Tunisia, \$20,000,000 shall be provided only for Portugal, \$25,000,000 shall be provided only for Spain, \$35,000,000 shall be provided only for Greece, and \$50,000,000 shall be provided only for Turkey.

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Rejected:

(1) By 42 yeas to 54 nays, Leahy unprinted amendment No. 1200, to strike supplemental funds for economic support fund assistance, military assistance, international military education and training, and foreign military credit sales.

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(2) Dodd unprinted amendment No. 1203, to reduce the funding for the Caribbean Basin Initiative by \$177.5 million. (By 55 yeas to 40 nays, Senate tabled the amendment.)

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By 50 yeas to 48 nays, Senate tabled an appeal of the ruling of the Chair sustaining a point of order against Proxmire-DeConcini unprinted amendment No. 1197, to require the Architect of the Capitol to cease the obligation, commitment or expenditure of unallotted construction contingency funds for completion of the physical fitness facility in the Hart Senate Office Building, as being legislation on an appropriation bill, and the amendment thus fell.

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Pending is Symms unprinted amendment No. 1201 (printed Amendment No. 2020), to provide that the United States is determined (1) to prevent by whatever means may be necessary, including the use of arms, the Marxist-Leninist regime in Cuba from extending by force or the threat of force its aggressive or subversive activities to any part of this hemisphere; (b) to prevent in Cuba the creation or

use of an externally supported military capability endangering the security of the United States; and (c) to work with the Organization of American States and with freedom-loving Cubans to support the aspirations of the Cuban people for self-determination. (By 30 yeas to 65 nays, Senate failed to table the amendment.)

Senate will continue consideration of the bill and amendments proposed thereto on Wednesday, August 11.

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Treaty Received: The injunction of secrecy was removed from the Tax Convention with the Republic of Austria (Treaty Document No. 97-26), and transmitted to the Senate today. The treaty was considered as having been read for the first time, and referred with accompanying papers to the Committee on Foreign Relations, and ordered to be printed.

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Nominations: Senate received the following nominations:

Thomas F. Hogan, of Maryland, to be U.S. District Judge for the District of Columbia.

Alex Kozinski, of the District of Columbia, to be a Judge of the U.S. Claims Court.

2 Army nominations in the rank of General.

1 Air Force nomination in the rank of General.

Routine lists of Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps nominations.

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Record Votes: Six record votes were taken today. (Total—305)

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Recess: Senate convened at 10 a.m., and recessed at 10:01 p.m., until 9:30 a.m., on Wednesday, August 11, 1982. (For Senate schedule, see remarks of Senator Baker in today's Record on pages S10046-S10047.)